COMBINED NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE Docket No. BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES & PETITION FOR LS-006CV EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER ATCA R 1436(a) (Small Entity) In Re Application Of: Jude S. Sauer JUN 0 1 2010 Group Art Unit Customer No. Confirmation No. Application No. Filing Date 10/772,185 02/04/2004 Victor X. Nguyen 024,902 3734 4686 INSTRUMENT FOR GUIDING THE SURGICAL CUTTING OF TISSUE AND METHOD OF USE Invention: **COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:** This is a combined Notice of Appeal from the Primary Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 01/27/2010 in the above-identified application. Date Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated 01/27/2010 finally rejecting Claim(s) 1-10, 15-18 and 20-31 Applicant(s) hereby request(s) an extension of time of (check desired time period): One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months from: 04/27/2010 until: 05/27/2010 Date Date The fee for the Notice of Appeal and Extension of Time has been calculated as shown below: Fee for Notice of Appeal: Fee for Extension of Time: \$65.00 TOTAL FEE FOR NOTICE OF APPEAL AND EXTENSION OF TIME: \$335.00 The fee for the Notice of Appeal and extension of time is to be paid as follows: A check in the amount of for the Notice of Appeal and extension of time is enclosed. \$335.00 ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 96/91/2010 HVUONG1 00000056 10772185 Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16. 01 FC:2401 270.00 OP Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17. 02 FC:2251 65.00 OP If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-1101 Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This combined Notice of Appeal from the Primary Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences and petition for extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is respectfully submitted by the undersigned:

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